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gational Church-Town Topics.

Clam Chowder Supper.

A clain chowder supper was held in the Congregational search on Thurs-

show, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hirmes, taken Sydne Hall, volo, Mr. Kel-r Hall, solo, E. P. Barnes s-legion

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et it today in the usual figured form or in

The Governor's Salute.

Orders have been issued from the office of the adjusting general directing Entertainment and Supper at Congreoffice of the adjuting general diversity Lieutenant Carroll C. Beach, Second division, Naval Militia, C. N. G. to detail six solisted man, under the charge of a commissioned officer, for the purpose of thing the salute to the governor on inauguration day, Lanuary 8. The officer will report to Colonel M. L. Wise, assistant quartermaster moneral,

Death of John W. Titcomb. John Wesley Titoomb, for years a writing teacher in Hartford schools and a few years ago a selectman of the and a few years ago a solutionan tewn of Harriford, is dead, as years. He was 33d degree Muson

A Horrible Hold-Up.

"About to n years ugo my brother was held up in his work, health and hun-piness by what was believed to be hopeless consumption, writes W. R. I lipscamb of Washington, N. C. He took all kinds of remedies and treatment from several dectors, led form was a large attendance and a good sur no help till he used Dr. King's New was netted. Discovery and was wholly ou of heavy bottles. He is a well man today. It's guick to relieve and the surest cure for weak or sore lungs, hemorrhages, coughs and colds, bronchits, in srings, asthma and all bronchial affections 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free, Guaranteed by The Lee & Owened Co. tred by The Lee & Osgood Co.

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Lodge Notes and Fraternal Interests

A. O. H. Anxiliary.

KNIGTHS OF PYTHIAS.

Officers for the year were elected by Wauregan lodge, No. 6, at its regular meeting held Tuesday evening in Pythian hall, these being the first who will hold office for the full tweive menths instead of six under the new regulations of the order. They will be installed at the content of the order of the special assessment call has been sent out by the officers of the association.

DEGREE OF POCAHONTAS.

the meeting in Odd Fellows' hall on Wednesday, Jan. 8th. when D. D. G. M. Libhic J. Denison of Groton with her staff will be present to do this duty. The visitors will leave New London at 6.18 and will be entertained at suppor their arrival here.

in a long time, due largely to the sending out of 125 postal cards by Adjutant Hovey, announcing that this was to be installation night and every comrade was expected to attend. A complete surprise sprung on the post by the women of the Relief corps was also a big factor in making the evening one that the veterans will long remember.

The regular meeting was convened at the appointed time, Commander Vine S. Stetson presiding, and among the items of business was a vote to give the use of the war office to the committee which the Society of the Founders of Norwich will usine in

counders of Norwich will name in onnection with the 258th anniversary f the town next September. One ap-Mrs. Charles C. Zabriskie is ill at her



VINE S. STETSON, Commander,

ication for membership in the post as received, that of George W. Nash Masonic Installation-Union Services Sixteenth Connecticut.

The installation was then taken up and impressively performed by a past commander of the post, George S. Smith of Niantic, who is also a past department commander of this state.

The following were the officers in robbits foreigners from operating problems of the new law which robbits foreigners from operating Charles H. Strong and Charles Brown were at Hayward's Lake Thursday and eaught 17 line pickerel. Mr. and Mrs. Carroli E. Staples and

railed:

Commander, Vine S Stetson, senior toe commander, Charles P. Geer: Juliar toe commander. Seth L. Peck, algument, Henry Havry surgeon, A. A. Valler chaptain, S. A. Maxey quarrenaster, N. L. Rishop, officer of the lar turn of Price officer of the Leverett Manwarring of Lebauon day, turns M. Price; officer of the guard Charles Crocker; post patriotic instructor, J. Herbert George; ser-

H. I. Stephins left Thursday for t with her daughter, Mrs. Million vis. In East Hariford. Wrs. Million Pock and O. M. Price, Masonic Officers Installed.

Wasonic lodge P. and A. H. beld a meeting in Masonic and Friday error in a corner in the masonic officers in the masonic officers in the masonic in Masonic and Friday error in the deputy was present and installed the officers for the susuing year. Sheriff Wickwire was in Williamstis Thursday.

Patrick H. Connor has been the guest of relatives in Norwieh.

Week of Prayer.

At the First Baptist church Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. B. D. Remington will take as his text Phil. 3-13. 14. The Lord's supper will be celebrated at the service. The week of prayer will be observed the coming week; there will be union services. The fights service will be in the Baptist church Sunday evenings at 7 o'clock, and Tuesday and Féday evenings at 100 Congregational church. Monday, Wednesday and Féday evenings at the Congregational church. The postoffice was closed New Year's day from 12 until 8 p. un. The R. F. D. carriers had a hololay.

Durid S. Day of Bridgeport was the guest of Divide.

They Might Divide.

of course would mean that Milaround on the stolen register as the summary would have no record of their alfection. But the conductor scould at enter into the scheme, so Miller COD FELLOWS

ODD FELLOWS.

George A. Burlingham, Jr.; recording secretary, John v. Amburn; final-cla-secretary, James H. Smith; treasurer,

tire hast term. The following we test: N. C., John A. Palmer, V. C. A. McHattle; recording worster

Louis Mindrey: financial secretary A.
S. Spelding: treasurer, F. B. Amner:
trustee for three years. John A. Pecc.
The appointive officers will be named
on Jan. 5th, when all will be installed.
By request of the grand master, the
charter was ordered draped in mourning for a period of thirty days out of
respect to the memory of Grand Sire
Bra. John L. Nolen, who died in Nachville, Term., on the evening of Doc.
14th.

menths instead of six under the new regulations of the order. They will oe installed at the next meeting by Deputy Beckwith from New London. The following were elected: C. C. Charles Treadway: V. C., Samuel Taylor: Mof W., Henry A. Guile; prelate, William Blackburn; K. of R. and S., John F. Amburn; M. of F., Edwin A. Dudley; M. of Ex., James H. Smith: M. at A., S. S. Alofsin: I. G., Casper Graff; O. G., John R. Benson; trustee, for three years, William Blackburn, for two years, Charles E. Whitaker, for one year, E. P. Pratt; representative fortwo years to grand lodge, Dennis J. Morrissey, for one year, Charles Treadway; alternate, two years, H. A. Guile, one year, S. S. Alofsin.

REBEKAHS. Hope lodge, No. 21, will have its officers for the new term installed at candidate at its meeting in Foresters

lowing were elected:
Pocahontas, Mrs. Delia Balley; We-nonah, Agnes Dean; prophetess, Julia Vergason; Powhatan, Stephen Culver;

GRAND ARMY

Sedgwick post, No. 1, started the New Year in a blaze of good fellowship and sociability at the Buckingham Memorial on Friday evening, having its largest attendance in a long time, due largely to the sending out of 125 postal cards by Adjutant Hovey, aunouncing that this was to be installation night and every comrade was expected to attend. A complete surprise surprise sprung on the nes Dean, Mary Chappell.

A. O. H. AUXILIARY.

The ladies' auxiliary is closing auccessful year, in which its meetings in Hibernian ha'l have been wel attended and there have been good guiditions to the membership and the mances have been kept in good con-At their first meeting in Jan-which is next Thursday evening their officers for the new year will be

L'UNION ST. JEAN BAPTISTE D'AMERIQUE.

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A whist for New Tear's eve by Lafayette council, No. 207, was largely
attended in Foresters' hall on Thursday evening, and carried out with the
usual success of the social affairs of
this society. Twenty-five tables enjoved the game, at the close of which
the prizes were awarded as follows:
Firsts, Miss Mine Morse, a berry dish;
Dr. F. R. Richards; seconds, Miss Rose
Lomoyne, a landscape; E. Crepea, a
silver tray; consolations, Mrs. E. G.
Tannar, an art calendar; and Edward
G. Tannar, a buildog. Refreshments
were served. An informal entertainment concluded the evening, conducted by the com-

mittee in charge, including Dr. G. A. Comean, H. L. Beausolell, Aime Gordon, Bert Caron, P. Sabourin, Joseph Boucher and Edward Boucher DRASTIC CHANGES

IN LIQUOR SELLING The New Law in Louisiana is Various ly interpreted.

New Orleans, Jan. 1.-Variously in terpreted and threatened with a test of its constitutionality in some particu-lars, the Gay-Shattuck saloon regulation law, which went into effect today will compet many changes, some of them drastic, in the method of con-

test on constitutional lines. Many claim that it is an abrogation of treaty rights which they participate in.
Among the prohibitions of the Gay-Shattuck has are:
That a combined Edoon and gracer;

shall be conducted without a partition

That planes and musical devices shall harved from barrooms. That an officer of a browery or dis

That those financially interested in a

the lease of the premises thereof. NO CABINET PROGRESS.

President-Elect Made Yesterday a Complete Holiday. Augusta, Ga., Jan. 1.-A complet

holiday from work was indulged in by the president-elect today. He was de-leated at golf by A. G. Fox, a New eater at golf by A. G. Fox, a New York lawyer.

Mr. Taft said tonight that he had made no cabinet progress and had nothing to announce in that connec-

Miss Helen Taft, only daughter of reslicent-elect and Mrs. Taft, to-assisted Mrs. Landon Thomas at sception, which was held in the of the young lady.

BEACH HARGIS RELEASED On \$25,000 Bail-Charged With Murder of His Father.

Irvine, Ky., Jan. I.—Beach Hargis, harged with the murder of his father, ormer Judge James Hargis, was ored in \$25,000 ball teday by Judge d. P. Adams, the jury at the first trial of the defendant having disagreed. The young man will go to Hot Springs, Ark. for treatment for rheamatism, after which he will return to Irvino to

Birolinghum and Atlantic railroad Co., an enterprise largely financed by Bos-ton capital, found upon presenting the Triest company today that the interest was not being maid. The only remain assigned was "no funds." The company's officers were in conference with autornove this afterneou. The railroad system is practically a new one and is not yet in complete operation.

The only remain after effects and without having to increase the conference with autornove this afterneous. The company to and its component truly as a laxative, and its component truly as a laxative, and its component truly as a laxative, and approved by

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agton on Monday. Niantic .- Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rogentertained a few of their friends at a New Year's party.

uest of Mr and Mrs. E. Hart Fenn of

New London,-Miss Lonsley is th

Coventry. January 21, 1909, Coven-try grange, No. 75, becomes of age, having been formed January 21, 1888, Preparations are being made for a

Groton.-The Eastern Shipbuilding plant is now a tring of the past. The property has been sold and all that can be removed will be taken away

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Pointed Paragraphs

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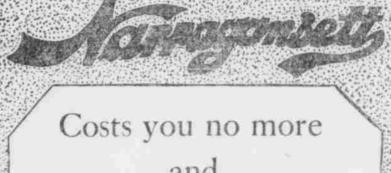
The first time you meet a woman she'll begin to tell you her troubles if she has a chance; the second time the will make the chance—Chicago. the will make the chance-Chicago

Edward F. O'Brien of Thomaston one of Muine's richest citizens, who was known to have quite extensive ident of the Georges National hank of Thomaston, succeeding his father in

Truth and Quality

await a new trial in April, Mrs. Lon-ollen Hargis, mother of Beach Hargis, and her two brothers will sign the buil success and creditable standing. Accorbond on Monday, and young Hargis ingly, it is not elaimed that Syrup of Figs will be released that duy. and Elixir of Senna is the only remedy of Interest Not Paid-"No Funds." known value, but one of many reasons Boston, Jan. 1.—Holders of the thirty why it is the best of personal and family car 5 per cent, honds of the Atlanta. laxatives is the fact that it cleanses, sweetens and relieves the internal organs January coupons at the Old Colony on which it acts without any debilitating

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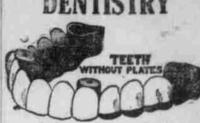
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